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January 29, 2013

Case #13-076F

Michael Morisy

Via Email: 2420-92998050@requests.muckrock.com

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PO Box 55819

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Dear Mr. Morisy:

This is in response to your December 28, 2012 emailed FOIA request for the station log for the U.S. South Pole Station for the year 2012. I regret the delay in responding to your request; I have been away from the office.

I have been informed by NSF Office of Polar Programs staff that there is no station log for the U.S. South Pole station. If you consider this to be a denial of your request your right of administrative appeal is set forth in Section 612.9 of the NSF FOIA regulation (copy enclosed).

I have not addressed your fee waiver request as fees did not accrue in this instance.

Sincerely,

Leslie A. Jensen

FOIA/Privacy Act Officer

Enclosure

**Jensen, Leslie A.**

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**From:** Jensen, Leslie A.  
**Sent:** Tuesday, January 29, 2013 7:23 AM  
**To:** 2420-92998050@requests.muckrock.com  
**Cc:** Jensen, Leslie A.  
**Subject:** RE: Follow up to Freedom of Information Request: South Pole Station Log  
**Attachments:** 13-076F.pdf; appealpara.doc

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Sent: Tuesday, January 29, 2013 5:00 AM  
To: NSF FOIA  
Subject: Follow up to Freedom of Information Request: South Pole Station Log

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This is a follow up to a previous request:

To Whom It May Concern:

I wanted to follow up on the following Freedom of Information request, copied below, and originally submitted on Dec. 28, 2012. Please let me know when I can expect to receive a response, or if further clarification is needed.

Thank you for your help.

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On Dec. 28, 2012:

To Whom It May Concern:

This is a request under the Freedom of Information Act. I hereby request the following records:

The station log for the U.S. South Pole Station for the year 2012.

I also request that, if appropriate, fees be waived as I believe this request is in the public interest. The requested documents will be made available to the general public free of charge as part of the public information service at MuckRock.com, processed by a representative of the news media/press and is made in the process of news gathering and not for commercial usage.

In the event that fees cannot be waived, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 20 business days, as the statute requires.

Sincerely,

Michael Morisy

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11/25/13

**From:** 2421-86717325@requests.muckrock.com  
**Sent:** Friday, December 28, 2012 2:27 PM  
**To:** NSF FOIA  
**Subject:** Freedom of Information Request: Antarctic Law Enforcement Statistics

December 28, 2012  
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FOIA Officer (Rm 1265)  
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Arlington, VA 22230

To Whom It May Concern:

This is a request under the Freedom of Information Act. I hereby request the following records:

A copy of the law enforcement statistics and log for NSF facilities in Antarctica, for the past year or most recent regular reporting period.

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